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Politics and the War

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A series of pamphlets by distinguished Americans on problems raised by the War.

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470 *German Youth and the Nazi Dream of Victory*, by E. Y. Hartshorne.

471 *Food or Freedom: The Vital Blockade*, by William Agar.

472 *Germany Then and Now*, by Alonzo E. Taylor.

473 FIGHTER COMMAND. A. B. Austin. *Gollancz*, 8s. 6d.

An account of the exploits of fighter aeroplanes in the defence of Britain and in attacks on the German air force, written by a journalist on the staff of Sir Hugh Dowding, Commander-in-Chief of the Fighter Command. Included in the book are many personal experiences of fighter pilots. With 7 illustrations and a diagram.

474 THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AND INTERNATIONAL ORDER. A. C. F. Beales, *Penguin Books*, 6d.

This book sets out the teaching of the Catholic Church on international relations as applied to present conditions.

475 WHAT HAVE I TO LOSE? W. J. Brown, *Allen & Unwin*, 2s. 6d.

An account of the material and spiritual issues at stake in this war for every inhabitant of the British Isles, written by the General Secretary of the Civil Service Clerical Association.

476 THE ROOTS OF NATIONAL SOCIALISM, 1783–1933. Rohan Butler. *Faber & Faber*, 12s. 6d.

The clue to the contrast (by which so many people are bewildered) between the private virtues of individual Germans and the public deeds of the German nation.

477 THE PRISONER AT LAEKEN. Emile Cammaerts. *Cresset Press*, 10s. 6d.

A sympathetic account of the part played by King Leopold during the campaign in Belgium in 1940 and later during his self-imposed imprisonment in Brussels. With a Foreword by Admiral Sir Roger Keys. Frontispiece and four maps.

478 THUS SPAKE GERMANY. W. W. Coole and M. F. Potter (Editors). *Routledge*, 10s. 6d.

The German view of Germany, religion, race, foreign countries, treaties and many other subjects, as expressed by many well-known German writers, politicians and administrators. With a Foreword by Lord Vansittart.

479 CZECHOSLOVAK CATHOLICS. *Catholic Truth Society*, 2d.

An account of the treatment of Catholics in Czechoslovakia since the German occupation.

480 HOLLAND FIGHTS THE NAZIS. L. de Jong. *Drummond*, 5s.

The former editor of *De Groene Amsterdammer* describes the German invasion of Holland and tells of the means adopted by the Dutch people to sabotage the work of the occupying forces, and of the many repressive measures adopted by the Germans in Holland. With 16 illustrations.

481 CONVERT TO FREEDOM. Eitel Wolf Dobert. *Lane*, 10s. 6d.

The autobiography of a German who was brought up in the Prussian Military tradition. As a young man Dobert joined the Nazi party and went abroad to learn foreign languages, in order to be of help to the movement. In Switzerland, France and Belgium he gradually became aware of the futility of Naziism and eventually resigned from the party and wrote about and preached universal peace, until he was obliged to leave Germany and emigrate to America.

482 NAZI RULE IN POLAND. G. M. Godden. *Catholic Truth Society*, 3d.

An account of the oppression of the Catholic Church in Poland, and of the Polish people by the Nazis.

483 AN A.B.C. OF THE R.A.F. Sir John Hammerton (Editor). *Amalgamated Press*, 2s.

An up-to-date guide to the varied and numerous activities of the Royal Air Force. With a Preface by Air Marshal Sir Charles Portal. Four plates in colour, 176 photographs and diagrams and 32 tables of reference.

484 WORLD SHIPPING. A. C. Hardy. *Penguin Books*, 6d.

A notebook on Seaways and Sea trade and a maritime geography of routes, ports, rivers, canals, and cargoes. With many illustrations, maps and diagrams.

485 THE ROYAL NAVY AT WAR. Vice-Admiral J. E. T. Harper. *Murray*, 6s.

A panorama in book form of the work of the Royal Navy, with a brief history of the Navy's tradition and descriptions of the various classes of ship which go to make up the fleet. With over 100 photographs.

486 MEN CRUCIFIED. Bruno Heilig. *Eyre & Spottiswoode*, 9s.

The terrible experiences of a distinguished Austrian journalist during thirteen months' imprisonment in the notorious concentration camps at Dachau and Buchenwald.

487 THE BOND OF PEACE. Cardinal Hinsley. *Burns, Oates & Washbourne*, 6s.

The war-time addresses of the Cardinal Archbishop of Westminster.

488 DEMOCRACY MARCHES. Julian Huxley. *Chatto & Windus*, 3s. 6d.

A series of broadcasts to America explaining how British democracy functions, where it differs from the American system, and how it has been affected by war conditions.

489 REPORT ON ENGLAND. Ralph Ingersoll. *Lane*, 7s. 6d.

The editor of the great New York newspaper *P.M.*, visits England and records his impressions.

490 INTER-ALLIED MEETING HELD IN LONDON AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE ON JUNE 12TH, 1941. REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS. *H.M. Stationery Office*, 3d.

491 LIONESS OF THE SEAS. George H. Johnston. *Gollancz*, 10s. 6d.

The story of the Australian Cruiser "Sydney" during seven months service in the Mediterranean together with descriptions of the actions fought by the British Mediterranean fleet in the present war. With 15 photographs and six maps.

492 WE HAVE SEEN EVIL. Rom Landau. *Faber & Faber*, 7s. 6d.

A picture of the true forces that have been moving Germany throughout centuries and of the spiritual background of both Naziism and modern Italy.

493 FRONT TO BACK. Hector MacQuarrie. *Cape*, 8s. 6d.

Mr. MacQuarrie tells of everyday life in war-time England and discusses many current problems.

494 CALL THE WITNESSES. Arthur Mee. *Hodder & Stoughton*, 6d.

The witnesses are the countries which are occupied by Germany, and this little book gives a picture of life under the iron heel of the Germans in Poland, Czechoslovakia, Holland, Belgium, etc.

495 TO THE PEOPLE OF BRITAIN AT WAR. R. G. Menzies. *Longmans, Green*, 3s. 6d. (cloth boards) and 2s. (paper).

Speeches on a variety of topics delivered by the Prime Minister of Australia during his recent visit to Britain.

496 ONE MAN'S YEAR. Bernard Newman. *Gollancz*, 9s.

The experiences of the well-known writer of spy stories when he went to lecture to British Troops in France and later on to civilian audiences in all the principal towns of Britain.

497 THE PERSECUTION OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN GERMAN OCCUPIED POLAND. Preface by Cardinal Hinsley. *Burns, Oates & Washbourne*, 2s. 6d.

Reports presented by Cardinal Hlond, primate of Poland, to the Pope, together with Vatican broadcasts and other reliable evidence of the sufferings of the Catholic Church in Poland.

498 REMEMBER GREECE. Dilys Powell. *Hodder & Stoughton*, 7s. 6d.

A fine book about the land and people of modern Greece. With chapters on the Greek Campaign of 1940–41 and the history of Ancient Greece. With a frontispiece and 2 maps.

499 THE R.A.F. AT WAR. *Murray*, 5s.

A revised edition of the pictorial survey of the R.A.F. with a new set of photographs.

500 BEHIND THE NAZI FRONT. John McCutcheon Raleigh. *Harrap*, 8s. 6d.

The experiences of an American journalist, attached to the Berlin office of the *Chicago Tribune*, in war-time Germany. Mr. Raleigh gives a first-hand account of the fighting in Poland and an interesting description of a visit to Bohemia.

501 TEN STATESMEN AND JESUS CHRIST. W. E. Sangster. *Hodder & Stoughton*, 3s. 6d.

Essays on the pronouncements of ten well-known British Statesmen.

502 LAUGH IT OFF. Laurie Tayler and "Amos". *Tuck*, 2s. 6d.

Humorous rhymes with coloured illustrations about war-time conditions in Britain.

503 ICELAND PAST AND PRESENT. Björn Thórdason. *Oxford University Press*, 1s.

Dr. B. Thórdason gives a short and lucid account of the history of Iceland, the nature of its Government and Constitution, its geographical position and economic resources.

504 HOW WARS ARE FOUGHT. Captain J. E. A. Whitman. *Oxford University Press*, 4s.

Captain Whitman begins his survey with the campaigns of Alexander and Hasdrubal and ends it with the German advance through Belgium and France in 1940, and he shows that while methods of warfare have changed over that long period, yet the underlying principles of tactics and strategy remain much the same.

505 THE FOUNDATIONS AND FUTURE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW. P. H. Winfield. *Cambridge University Press*, 3s. 6d.

Edited by Ernest Barker. One of the *Current Problems* series, written primarily to acquaint the layman with the principles of international law.

506 OUTPOSTS OF WAR. Gordon Young. *Hodder & Stoughton*, 5s.

The adventures of the associate editor of Reuters when he was acting as Special Correspondent in the Balkans and the Near East, and when he accompanied General Wavell's Army during the Campaign in Libya.